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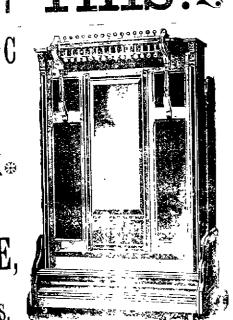
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Cases of 5c a yard.

The Original Price \$4.50, \$5, \$5.50 and \$6 a Pair, ALL PUT IN ONE LOT AT

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Ever Offered in BLANKETS,

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Extra Heavy -CANTON FLANNEL,at 7c a yard. -BLEACHED MUSLIN,-36 inches wide, at

BROWN MUSLIN, Good weight, at 5c a yard. One Box of -APRON GINGHAMS,at 4c a yard.

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TURKEY RED DAMASK at 19c a yard. 2 Boxes CALICOES

CALICOES at 5c yard.

THIS 100 BED COMFORTS, Original Price

\$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$2.75, and \$3,

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23 dozen Ladies' All Wool Scarlet Vests and Pants, were \$1.00, marked down to 75c each. 25 dozen Ladies' Grey Wool Vests and Pants, were \$1.00, now 75c.

1 Case Ladies Heavy Cotton Vests, at 25c each. 50 dozen Ladies' Colored and Black Wool Hose at 19c a pair. 30 dozen Men's Grey and Red Mixed All Wool Shirts and Drawers, were \$1.00 and \$1.25, marked to close out at 75c each.

50 dozen Men's Camel's Hair Shirts and Drawers, were \$1.50, now \$1.00.

PLUSH JACKETS --- AT- -

PLUSH JACKETS \$9.00 \$6.95 Were \$15. Were \$12.

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Were Sold at \$25.00. Sacques at \$17.50;

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Ladies' English Walking Coats, worth \$6.50, for......\$4.00 Ladies' Cloth Newmarkets, were sold at \$10, for..... One Lot \$7 and \$8.00 One Lot of Children's Cloaks at \$1 to \$4 each, or a trifle LESS THAN HALF PRICE.

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Are worse than none, as you are not only deceived, but robbed as well.

WE BUY THE BEST, ONLY,

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LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

windled Two Susceptible Widows Mrs. Elizabeth Timerman, of Bloomington, is a widow, aged 76, and quite frail in body, yet she seems to be not too old to look with favor upon a suitor. Wilham Proctor, an insurance agent, a few days ago made her acquaintance. He is 35 years old, quite good looking, and a smooth talker. Mrs. Timerman is well off, and as she relates the story Proctor made love to her so successfully that she intrusted to him her hand and heart, and intrusted to him her hand and heart, and Will seemed transferable notes amounting to \$4,000 and several hundreds in cash. Next day Proctor disappeared and was not seen again until an officer brought him from Springfield, Il., on a warrant sworn out by Mrs. Timerman. Proctor has a wife and two children. It was ascertained that Proctor worked a similar game on another, but younger, susceptible widow in West township, McLean county. From her he got \$200

Good Tiling Pays. John Biebenger, of Milmine, had 80 acres that yielded 6440 bushels of cornand 70 acres that yielded 640 bushes of corns and 70 acres that yielded 5150 bushels, this last season, which was quite good corn. The reason of the difference in the yield was the better tiling of the 80 acres. He also had 80 acres which produced only 3100 bushels. On this lot the outlet of the tile was defective, stopping the flow of the water.—Monticello Herold.

CHRISTMAS WEATHER.

A Record for the Past 43 Years Kept by a Salem Man.

Records of Chrismas weather in Salem now in the possession of Andrew Nichols

give information of much interest: give information of much interest:

Starting with the Christmas of 1786; says Mr. Nichels, and ending with 1826; 43 consecutive years, 27 were fair, 9 stormy and 7 cloudy. The average temperature was 26.76 degrees. The three warmest were 1894, 44 and fair; 1816, 44 and rainy; 1817, 47.3 and rainy. The three coldest: 1788, 10.3 and fair; 1816, 183 and fair, 1816. unree contest: 1785, 10.5 and fair; 1814, 93 and fair: 1826, 10.3 and fair. Christmases of 1811, 1812, 1813 and 1814 were all cold, and were followed by three warm in 1815, 1816 and 1817. I cannot as warm in 1815, 1816 and 1817. I cannot as yet detect any change in temperature, though it is true I can find no record of a warmer than this of 1889, whose average is 50 degrees, and taking the seven back of that they run about the same as any eight or ten consecutive years you might take from the records, and are as follows: Ohristmas, 1, 882, 31.6 degrees; 1883, 27.3; 1884, 15.6, 1885, 21; 1885, 29; 1887, 27.3; (1787, 35); 1888, 443, or the average of the eight years, 30.07.

Very Sensible "Japs." In Japan the old-school physicians are ermitted to wear only wooden swords. This is a gently sareastic way of express This is a gently sarcastic way of expressing the opinion that they kill enough people without using weapons. But the druggist who introduced Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery into the Empire, carries a fine steel blade. It was found that all who tried this wonderful remedy for coughs, colds, consumptive tendencies, blood, skin and liver troubles, were, without exception, benefitted. The Mikado himself is said to have "toped up" his system by its use, and the imup" his system by its use, and the im porter was therefore permitted the exeptional honor of wearing the sword of

News from Troutman Christmas and New Year's passed off quietly and everybody seemed happy and contented. Flowers blooming in winter and the oat stub-ble field looking as given as wheat, we began to think that our town had brought about two sum mers, until the late snow come and covered up the mud. Our street commissioners are a little The members of Sharon Church Sunday school

Miss Chambertain, of Macon, commence school at Sunny Side Monday Dr. Hostetler was called to Troutman Me o attend a sick child.

Electric Bitters.

mention. All who have used Electric Bitters sing the same song of praise.—A purer medicine does not exist a it is purer medicine does not exist a it is purer meanene does not exist a in is guaranteed to do all that is claimed. Electric Bitters will cure all diseases of the Liver and Kidneys, will remove im-pure blood.—Will drive Malaria from the system and prevent as well as cure all Mataria fevers.—For cure of Headache, Consumption and Indigestion try Elec-tric Bitters—Entire satisfaction guaran-ted, or worsey refunded—Price 50 at a teed, or money refunded.—Price 50 cts. and \$1.00 per bottle at Dr. A. J. Stoner's Drug Store.

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We have eclipsed all previous efforts in the 23 years' experience of our successful career in the clothing business, in placing before the public for this Fall and Winter

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FALL AND WINTERS CLOTHING

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Our Men's, Young Men's

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Will be distinguished from ordinary ready-made clothing, not only by the superior fit, style and finish, so long noticeable in our garments, but als by the EXTREME LOW PRICES We ask for superior made goods.

Decatur's Leading Clothier,

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Why Not Save Money When You Can?

A Penny Saved Is a Penny Earned.

What we eat costs us more money than any other of our wants, and especially is this true if we do not seize. every opportunity to buy where we can do so to the best advantage. Logan & Beik are the pioneers of Low Prices in groceries, and those who have patronize them know how well the claim is based What is then. sense in paying high prices when you can buy the same goods for less money? They refer to the following price list to show that they are not indulging in windy bragging when they claim to sell goods at lower prices than their competitors, and a simple trial will convince the most skeptical that their goods are all that can

HAMS 00 California Hams, per lb.. Breakfast Bacon, Heavy Bacon,.... Best Lard, per lh,.... Chipped Dried Beef, Miscellaneou 3aCO Best Coal Oil, per gallon,. Coffee Packages Best Vinegar, per gallon, Fancy Pausins, new.... New French Prunes ... Bardines, 7c, or 4 for....... Canned Peaches in syrup, ... Canned Blackberries, ... Baking Powder, in bulk... Mackerel, in pound cans,. Star Tobacco. Climax Tobacco.

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5 bars Logan & Beik's, 5 bars Lautz Bros',

4 lbs White Extra C Sugar,.

Best roller process flour, per sack

Good Coffee in bulk,

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and every other form of Malaria, all Stomass and Liver Troubles, Nervous and Sick Head aches, Chronic Diarrhosa Chud

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36-inch Plaid

CLOTH SUITINGS,-

19c a Yard.

50 Pieces Plain and

BROCADE VELVETS,

25c a Yard.

25 Pieces of

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were \$1.25 a yard,

Cur to 85c.

20 Pieces of

FRENCH BROADCLOTH,

Were \$2.00, now \$1.25.

20 Pieces of Black and Colored Brocade and

STRIPED SILK VELVETS,

Woven Patterns,

Marked Down to \$1,00 a yard.

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at 4c a yard.

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DOUBLE FOLD CASHMERES,

1,500 Yards of

DOUBLE-WIDTH Cloth Suitings

2,000 Yards

Bales of 36-inch

200 Pieces of Best

1 Box Regular 8c Ginghams 2 Cases of

at 4c a yard. I Case of Choice Colors in

the nobility.

met last Sunday and elected new officers as Joh lows. S Troutman, superintendent, I. L. Houck assistant superintendent, F. Gring visited our town Tuesday. Mr Allen Park is a happy man-it's a gul. Mr and Mrs. William Sawyer were in town

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Everything quiet and business dull. This remedy is becoming so well known and so popular as to need no special mention. All who have used Electric



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THURSDAY EVE., JAN. 9, 1890

SENATOR INGALLS describes his experience with the grip, as a sensation akin to "swallowing a paper of pins.' Comfortable sensation, that must be.

WHEN Senator Ingalls makes his in tended speech in the Senate on the Southern question it is safe to assume that he will not be interrupted in the course of it by Senator Voorhees The Hoosier Senstor has monkeyed with that buzz saw once too often alread), and his n currouty to repeat the folly of that performance.

THE latest fad coming this way is "Pro greezive Hilaria ' It is a test of five censes. Five tables are placed behind screens, and the person to be tested is blind-folded and led to the table hearing she is given a gold star and if she ing on the three story frame nouse adjastar She is then led to the smedling in ruins and house took fire. I our wo table, where she a to guess what article man and a man killed is placed before her, then she tries the touch table, then the tests and eight table. The whole company are tested in the same manner, and the person terriving the largest rumber of gold stars is awarded the bret prize, and the one having the rext largest number wins these condignize. One would judge that the contest would be muse gard inter-

What They Think of Each Other I verything is not exactly love 3 be Mr. Grover Cleveland and that tween Mr Grover Cleveland and that Might 1M istor the Fig. hip of and atmuch Democratic organ, the New York cranicals in the final mark to cittly Mr. The will be represented by them. Melithe the x-last is seith by all with It will be remembered without mich clan + Wort, that the same sort of leth and be down the campaign of same and the distribution of the campaign of same and the distribution of the campaign of the

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Wind Disaster at Brooklyn, New York

A DYING KING

Special to the RFI OF LICES CHICAGO, ILL , Jan. 9 1 p. m. - Alfonzo, the infant king of Spain, is in a dying condition. Senor Sagasta, prime minister, has been summoned to the castle where he awaits the end

> \$75,000 LOSS. Special to the References

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., Jan 9 1 p. m. The largest Howiny Mills in the country, burned this morring Loss \$75,000.

WIND AND DEATH Sp. of to the Restricted

BROOKLAN N Y, Jan 9-1 p m-The ing, where several bells, are more, from a preshyterian clurch on Throop Avenue small bell to a large dinner beh, are rung was so shaken by a terrific windstorm If the person guesses which bell is ring | I, at night that the walls fell this morndoes not guess aright she a given agreen cent demalishing it. Nine people buried

TELEGRAPHIO NOTES.

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Prize Fighters Wanted in Mississippi NIN YOLK Tim 5 A law officer from M steelpli is in town looking ift i W. F. Hurling Lines Wakely Charley I has a and Wm Maldoon who act is defitting and shitting bulhem and kiltura in then kachburg fight it is stat d that a warrant was served upon Harding this morning notifring time that he was wanted in Mig-

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NIWYOR BIN S Wm L Harding, of the Piller of the was acrested to day in the Case thee. Mike Cleary and Mik. Denotes were neithed and give the needers to it police head juniters the incomen were wanted a crepusite a from trovernor Lowrey of Massaulli of their participation in the Salhsan kin an fight at Rubburg All three we released on 5:00 bull te applies for examination a week from saturlay trove nor Hill has signed the requisition papers

Muldoon Arrested New York Fin 1 Shorty before Instrict Heart elective McNugh on apported with Prof. Wm. Maide no leb not. Sullivan's trainer Mr. Mollon had been arested a the Vanderlik H. tel where he was nursing a black ev which he received from Evan Levis to Strangler while wiestling with him in Philadelphic hat Signific. He was raisled until this morning. It is intered that the requi sition ilse cills for the arest of Leink Stevenson to a te lehnsen Ita Wake i prominent part in air inging the de-

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us Mercury wit surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucus surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do are ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co. O. contains no riercury, and is taken internally, and acts directly upon the blood and mucus surfaces of the system in buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine, it is made in Toledo, O., by F. J. Cheney & Co.

Sold by Druggists, price 75c a bottle. Chicago Grain Market. The following were the closing quota-tions in Ohicago at 1:15 p. m. to-day, re-ceived by G. C. Oaldwell, Scoretary Deca-

tur Grain Co. WHEAT | 7634 Jan, 78 Feb, 8178 May. Оовх—201_b Jan, 291₂ Feb, 32 May. Оатх—203₄ Jan, 203₄ Feb, 221₈ May. Ронк—2947 Jan, \$9.57 Feb, \$9.92 May LARD-\$582 Jan, \$585 Feb; \$6.05

lay. Ribs—\$4.67 Jan; \$4.70 Feb., **\$4**90 May.

Lave Stock—Detimated receipts—Hope 29,000, market steady. Oattle, 1/ market steady. Cart TABeat: Winter, 22; Spr. 3131

The Women's Industrial and Charit- and the history of the history of the country. A ball at the Princess These It is Worthly Celebrated at Many Points

BY THE LOYAL DEMOCRATIC HOSTS. Ex-President Cleveland and Governor Hill Send Regrets - Ohio Statesman Rally Around the Old Leader

-Street Parades. A Governor's Banquet. NEW YORK, Jan 9 -The Business

Democratic Club tendered a banquet at the Hoffman House last night to Governors elect Boies of Iowa, Camp-bell of Ohlo, McKinney of Virginia, Abhett of New Jersey and Tools of Montana The dinner was also in celebra-tion of the battle of New Orleans Governor elect Abbett was the only one of those named above who found it possi-ble to attend. The others sent regrets, as did also Governor Hill Among those present were Henry Hilton, Extovernor Hoadley, W E Russell, Leon Abbett J Edward Simmons Mayor Chapin of Brooklyn, W R Grace W T. McManes, John C Sheehan and many

other lights of the party The following letter of regret from Ex President Cleveland was read Fig activity of the members of your club is in direct keeping with that participation affairs which I have at all times though way the duty of business men and which

not be otherwise than exceedingly im an not be otherwise than exceedingly mention to our varional welfare. For every busen therefore, I should be glad to be the quest of the association at their banquet given in favor of the Grand Old Democrat shom we all delight to remember with endison and in recognition of party associates who have been elected to the chief ragistracy of their respective States. The following telegiam from Gover tor Hill was read

ALBANY, N Y , Jan 8,5 30 P M That hoped to this hour to be able to atand the annual banquet of the Business
stars be mocratic Association to night but
an apartic dangagements will prevent me
toon traving Abany Plane presenting reprets to manbers of committee I trust the
tatertainment will be a pleasant one

Would-Be Senators Celebrate the Day. COLUMBIA, O., Jan 9 .- The Jackson captions could be considered to make the constant of the const Calvin & Brice Hon J H Thomas, dates for United States Senator Ex-Postmaster General Don M. Dickinson, who was to have responded to the toast, The following regular responses were

Andrew lackson, he confirmed by his statesmarship what he won by his valor," Hor W V I vach
The Ohio Democracy true in time of battle it will be faithful in time of victory,"

Hon Chattes W. Baker
Tariff Reform in its future are bound up
the best and highest interests of the Ameri can people Hon Frank H Hurd
con Young Men upon their political
training depends much of our future wel-

tire Indson Harmon
Ballot Reform whatever preserves the purity of the ballot promotes Democratic success? Hon Win N Ramses Our Rising Statesman, may their works go before them and their rewards come after them? Hon H R Hysel

Jackson s Day in Nashville Nashviille, Tenn Jan 4 -Jackson's Day was celebrated in Nashville yesterday by a grand procession in the morning and the delivery of an address and permagent organization of the Na-

tional lackson Club at the State Capitol Abunquet in honor of the First regiment National Guard, State of Tennessee was given in the afternoon by J (Baxter, and at night a historic re ception took place at the Marwel House under the auspices of the Ladies' Hermitige Association which closed the exercises

vania, was cleited president of the Na tional Jackson Club and among the vice presidents are DeWitt C Cregier mayor of Chicago and Jos & Johnson

Cincaco fan 9-Andrew Jackson's birthday was celebrated here by a street parade of Democratic societies, yester day afternoon followed in the evening hy a memorial meeting at Central Music Hall Pa Governor Proctor Knott of Kentucky Judge Benj Pitton, of Ohio, the only surviving representative of the Jackson Administration, and General John W Wheless of Tennessee, delivered addresses On the platform was the desk upon which President lickson wrote his lamous veto of the Banking bill and also the table upon which he wrote his first message to

The Butler Club Boston Jun 9 -- The Butler Club

held its annual meeting last night at the Parker House and celebrated Jack son Day General Butler Corporal Tan ner Josiah A Abbott, John I Baker, John (Linehan Commissioner Tobin and about one hundred others were present

General Butler made a speech extol ing lackson especially as an enemy of mugwumps, and denounced the Australian ballotsystem Corporal Tanner, Judge Woodebury and others also spoke

The Massachusetts State Democratic Committee Celebrate.

Boston Jan 9 - After the Democratic State committee had finished their business yesterday they attended a dinner at the Tremont House in celebration of Jackson's Day Among those present were (harles Levi Woodbury, Leopold Morse, Patrick Maguire, Wm Aspin wall Patrick A Collins Jas H French, J M Brennan of Providence, Mayor it Ious 1 11 a uni others who took tarroll, of Pantucket and others Mr Collins and others spoke, rostly on

> A Brilliant Street Parade Mobili Ala Jan 9 - Jackson Day was relebrated here last night by

"What charm will soothe her melan choly " and "what will wash her guilt away ?" Cole's Carbolisoap will do the work. It purifies the skin, restores the complexion and is unequaled as a toilet

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GO AND SEE THE Chickens, Turkeys, Geese Ducks, Pigeons, Etc. Of every variety, both useful and orna-mental, from a dozen different states.

Don't fail to see the INCUBATOR HATCHING UHICKENS. tion - 20 Cls; Children, 10 Cts.

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NEW ORIFANS, Jan 9-The Times Democrat Bayon Sara (La) special says that a body of masked men took Henry tree in the court-house square

Bosrov. Jan 9 -The Democratic State committee met yesterda; Hon

Suffocated by Coal Gas bed at Washintonville, Fuesday night She had been suffocated by coal gas

Permitted to Land ers of emigration posterday decided to permit Jno L Gardner and his family

Exclusive Professional Attention to Adjustment of Speciacles, Opthalmoscopic Examination of tyes from 8 to 12 a, m and 1 to 5 p m

OPERA GLASSES member this.
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Henry 101 THE 51ST CONGRESS.

Senator Voorhees Goes for "Blocks-

of-Five" Dudiev.

SENATOR EDMUNDS TO THE RESCUE

The Hoosier State a Fruitful Field for Political Corruption-The District of Columbia Appropriation Bill in the House.

SENATE

Mr Fdmunds offered a substitute for the

that several members of the Southern society opposed the recent adoption by the society of resolutions culogistic of WASHINGTON, Jan 8—The Senate to day debated at some length Mr Voorbee's resolution for the investigation of the "Blocks of Five' scandal, and, after amendment, Jefferson Davis There is also some opposition to the holding of a banquet in honor of General Lee on the 20th of this month The dissentients admire the mr voorhees called up his resolution im mediately after the conclusion of a portion of the morning business, and proceeded to address the Senate upon it at some length He said the crime of Mr. Dudley had inflicted characters of Davis and Lee, but are afraid that by so publicly honoring the Confederate chieftains they will lose standing in Northern business and so indelible stain on the election of 1888, and cial circles npeached the integrity of the political renit that followed. The crime was practi

after by the relief are relief are relief are relief the class represented in the class represented in the history of the

Cleveland's Regreta

PORTLAND, Me, Jan 9-The Fal-

nouth Club celebrated Jackson Day by

a dinner last night, at which W L Put-

nam and other prominent Democrats

spoke Letters of regret were read

from Grover Cleveland and other lead-

Lack the Courage of Their Conventions.

New York, Jan 9 -The Star says

ing members of the party.

reliefuer of

Withdraws from the Southern Society.

New York, Jan 9—Wm P St John. president of the Mercantile National Bank and vice-president of the Southern Society has resigned the latter office and withdrawn from the society In a letter announcing his withdrawal he states that he is one of those who did not think it proper to take any action as a society on the death of Jofferson Davis There were varieties of feeling in the society on this subject and, at the objects of the organization were purely social, it was not proper for a portion of the society as a whole The time has not come when the epitaph of Jefferson Davis can be written in terms acceptable to all Americans alike The sole justification for the exists and consume that when he called on President Harrison there it was to secure for Mr Dudley immunity from prosecution Mr Voorhees eriticised very severely the The sole justification for the ex istance of an organization in New York City bearing the title "Southern' is as the interpreter between the North and South for the spread of sentiment in common, and the action in question can not tend in this direction

A Contract Breaker

for Mr Dudley immunity from prosecution
Mi Voorhees criticised very severely the
part which Judge Woods was said to have
taken in preventing the finding of a bill of
indictment against Dudley. He said he desired to know whether the action of District
Attorney Chambers in ordering a United
States Commissioner not to issue a warrant
for Dudley arrest was authorized by the
Attorney denoral, and he would like to know
also what right the District Attorney had to
issue such an order. He thought hir Cham
bers should be dismissed, and that this was
the bost opportunity the President would
ever have of disavowing his sympathy with
Dudley serime Columbus, O. Jan 9 - Jack O'Connor, the great catcher of the Columbus team, who signed a Brotherhood contract shortly after the season closed last year, yesterday signed a Columbus con-Dudley's crime

year, yesterday signed a Columbus contract and authorized the publication of the following

"I have to-day signed a contract with the Columbus American Association team and resigned by position with the Players League or Brothenhood I do this after a careful invostigation, and feel that I owe this explanation to my friends and the base-ball public I was led to believe that the American Association was dead I find it now the form of the first of the first of the arrest of W Dudley and bis excumption from arrest and by what au thority of law any such instructions have been given, and that copies of all such correspondence be transmitted to the Senato."

Mr Edmunds offered a substitute for the resolution as follows. I hat the Attorney General be, and hereby is instruction, if any, the Department of Justice has given to S N Chambers, District Attorney for the district of Indiana, on the subject of the arrest of W Dudley and bis excumption from arrest and by what au thority of law any such instructions have been given, and that copies of all such corrections are constituted to the senate what instructions, if any, the Department of Justice has given to S N Chambers, District Attorney for the district of Indiana, on the subject of the arrest of W Dudley and bis excumption from arrest and by what au thority of law any such instructions have been given to S N Chambers, District Attorney for the district of Indiana, on the subject of the arrest of W Dudley and bis excumption from arrest of w Dudley and bis excumption from arrest of the contract of the Attorney General be, and hereby in the Attorney same great organization that it over certainly committed, if not a crimo against cirtainly committed, if not a crime against the United States, a orime against that class of piblic morality which the Senator from Indiana Indieso beautifully described." Still, it was possible that the Dudley letter had been folged, or so altered as to make a morally funcional political letter appear a morally guilty one. He referred to the Morry letter, and said that he was giad the leaders of the Democratic party had apparently reformed [Laughter in the galleries]

M: Voorhees asked why Mr Dudley was a kniking and hidms [I the letter was a was, and I am proud to say I am again in the right place, although my contract with the Brotherhood calls for 8500 more than I am to receive from the

The National Skating Races.

Newburgh N Y , Jan 9 — The pros-

spects for the National skating laces down on the cards for the 17th and 18th instant, are very doubtful as the present weather indicates continued mild
ness. There is no ice on the river or
inuch at Ives lakes where the laces are
inuch at Ives lakes where the laces are to take place. On Monday the racing committee will meet here and take such action as may be necessary and possibly postpone the races indefinitely. The one mile race will take place on the lake as the outlook is poor for river skating. This rane will have more starters than the others. The committee has decided to adopt for this race the system of the Dutch Skating Association as used at Amstradam.

The Kindergarten on Top

Roston, Jan 9—The deposition of Roston, Jan 9—The deposition of the state of man of a Periodistriction within the limits of the State of

Boston, Jan 9 - The deposition of Secretary Alger and Leasurer Lewis of Secretary Alger and I reasured Lewis of the Democratic State committee, means the virtual overthrow of the old Democrate Imors" who have fought the party battles for years, and the assumption of control by the younger politicians of the party, including such men as Josiah Quincy, theorge Fred Williams and Nathan Matthews, Jr., the last named of whom presided over the last Democratic State convention. The victorious elements are locally known as the "Kindergarten" and "silk Stockings."

Dr. Kniffin's Property.

Trenton, N. J. Jan 9—It is stated that before Dr. Kniffin swallowed aconstined for the deck to be raidly was beautiful to the dick to be raidly wash of the buddey letter. He did not vouch for the buddey letter. He did not vouch for the betty bus poke at length about the tally sheet frauds in Indiana in 1886 and in the lettre but it was published in the scand in the lettre but it was published in the sum of the but it was published in the state but it better but it was published in the state but it but it was published in the lettre but it was published in the scand in Indiana in 1886 and it. Ferred to the fact that same layers and it. Ferred to the fact hat same but it was published in the lettre but it was published in the but it was published in the lettre but it is was published.

The dmunds spoke at length and it.

Ferred to the datk to be return th the Demogratic State committee, means

that before Dr Kniffin swallowed aconite and gashed his throat he made a will giving his property to his son Leland and Miss Purcell The report can not be verified but is generally believed

Dr Kniffin and Miss Purcell Arrested TRENTOS, N J lan 9 -Dr Kniffin and Miss Purcell were arrested yesterday, charged with the murder of Mrs Kniffln They declined to make any statement, and were committed to jail to await the action of the grand jury

Canvassed the Vote. Corumbi . O , Jan 9 -The two houses of the Logislature yesterday in joint convention canvassed the vote for State officers and the acting president of the Senate, and declared Hon E I, Lampson, Republican, elected Lieutenant Governor by 243 plurality

Taken from Jail and Hanged.

Ward, the negro boy murderer, from the jail Tuesday night and hanged him to a Massachusetts State Democratic Com

Patrick A Collins was elected chair man NEWBURGH Pa Jan 9 -Ann Ehra Conklin, a nurse was found dead in her

NEW YORK Jan 9 - The commission

The second invoice of fine Lemaire Opera Giasses just received. See them while the stock is complete. Beautiful opera glass Handles at re-

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nish plain sewing to a woman capable of doing it well and anxious to work? Call on secretary for particulars on secretary for particulars

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want a place in the country. The man
can do farm work and the woman housework. The boy could do chores and
would like to go to school. Anyone want
ing such help will please address the secwould have to go to season.

Ing such help will please address the secretary at North Park street.

A boy of 15 years wants choice to do

If you want coal carried, walks cleaned secretary. Help us give this needy boy call at the exchange for both yeast

and salt-rising bread, Parker house rolls home-made candies, choice cakes, Chil sauce, mince meat, cookies, etc. A meeting of the council of the Wo man's Industrial and Charitable union will be held at the office of the se ret irs on Friday forenoon at 10 o'clock A tull attendance requested. (Friday morning

papers please copy) Not as Old as One Might Be Every decade is a defence of the one men of forty rise in almost unbicken ranks between him and the approaches of old age is they show in the men of fifty. At forty he looks with a sense of security at the men of bity, and sees behind them the low of sturdy sevagenarians. When fifty is reached, som how sixty does not look so old as it once used to, and seventy is still afar off At sixty the stern sentence of the burnd set vice seems to have a meaning that one did not notice in former years. There begins to be something personal about it But if one lives to sevent, be soon gets used to the text with the three score years and ten in it, and begins to count himself among those who by reason of strength are destined to reach the fourscore, of whom he can see a number still in reasonably good condition. The octogenman loves to read about people of ninety and over. He peers among the asterisks of the triennial catalogue of the university for the names of graduates who have been seventy years ent of college and remain still unstarred. House mons about the biographies of contenur in-No matter about his failurgs, the longer life seem to all the living who follow him and thus he is their constant benefactor
—Atlantic Monthly

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skulking and hiding if the letter was a

man of a Democratic county committee, on Soptimber 7, 1889 That letter, (which he acut to the disk to be (cad) was he said the

ville letter He said Coy had been sent t fail by a partisan, malicious court The people had since sustained Mr Coy at the

poils
At the close of the discussion, Mr Ed minds amendment was agreed to by a party vote of 41 to 24.
After disposing of some routine matters the Senate went into secret session, and at 9 10 p m adjourned

The proceedings of the House to day were almost wholly devoted to consideration of the District of Columbia Appropriation bill whileh was passed which was passed

The Speaker land before the House, for reference, a letter from the Secretary of War, including a petition from certain non-commissioned officers, praying for an increase of pay, also a letter from the Secretary of the Ticasury recommending that the catimated appropriation of \$460,000 for the public building at San Irancisco be made in a statelence bill.

defleiency bill

The House then went into committee of the whole on the District of Columbia Appropriation bill. The House passed the bill, and at 4 30 p. m. adjourned until Friday A Short but Successful Strike SAN TRANCISCO, Jan 9 -A strike oc curred at the Union Lion works yester day afternoon which was amicably set tled a few hours later. The men ob jected to an order of the company pro viding for an assessment of thirty cents

to insure medical attendance in case of

accident. About five hundred men les the shop A conference was held and the company agreed to refund the money Death of Ex-Governor Woods PORTLAND, Ore , Jan 9 -Ex-Govern or George E Woods died yesterday aft er a long and painful illness He was elected Governer of Oregon in 1866, and in 1871 was appointed Governor of Utah by President Grant Since 1875 he has been living on the Pacific coast, practic

HOLIDAY PRESENTS! That Fill the Bill.

rench Robe Dress Patterns, worth \$22 00, for \$15.00 \$15.00 Black Henrietta, 46 inch, worth \$1.25, for 95c Black Henrietta, 44 inch, worth \$6.00, for 75c Black Henrietta, 44 inch, worth 65c, for 50c Black and Col'd Brillantines, worth 75c, for 60 Black and Colored Broadcloths, worth 75c, for 60 \$125.

\$125 Large and attractive Stock Sultings, 25c, 35c, 50 12 yards best Calleo made, for 75c. 12 yards good Calico, for 60c 10 yards new and beautiful Penangs, \$1 10 Ladies' and Children's FURS in great variety at Lower Prices than ever named.

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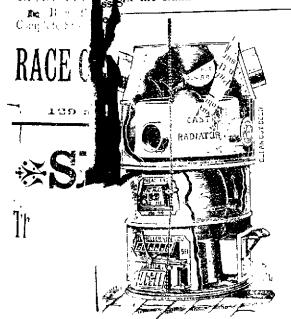
We commence to-die SAC-RIFICE SALE to GR OUT what stock we havet in our China and Glassy Departments.

We have no rogy show this in the city. stock except dur "a liday times. as the space dev to it belongs to our Clock De. Thent, and we must have it NC7 Come Early, we have some gains in CUT GLASS, Fine Lia Ice Cream Sets, and Fanc eces, and about a HALF DOZEFULL DINNER SETS, all of wh/will be SACRI-FICED.

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LOCAL NEWS.

Jardiniers.

We have an excellent line of Jardiniers which we close out at cost. E. D. Bartholomew & Co.

SATURDAY night the Pease Sisters wil

And still the McGinty jungle is heard

appear at Niantic. THE Central train south was 45 min ntes late this morning.

W. H. PINCHER, of Blue Mound, has been granted an original pension. W. A. Comes' Restaurant.

THE Universalist sociable will not b The board of directors of the Young Men's Christian Association will meet in

egular session at 8:30 this evening. Queen, Queen, Queen. THE annual convention of the Illinois tile and drainage association will be held at Springfield January 21 and 22.

W. A. Comes' Restaurant. THE Queen has arrived with all it jan8-dtf

The mercury was at 30 this morning, and plenty of frost and sanshine. W. A. Comos' Restaurant.

Give Hanks & Patterson's grocery store on South Water street a call when Bloomington and hal made a thorough you want to save money and get the best

Buy the famous White Loaf flour. It s tirst-clasь.

1r only costs \$1,50 per ton delithred at your door, that superb Decatur plit coal. Nov. 7-dif. Everybody invited to view the Queen

he wonder of the 19th century. jans-dif Anything wanted for the table can lways be had at Moore Bros. store on orth Water street.

J. Lyran & Co., will sell you Edam cheese, California fruits and the best of You will be pleased with White Foam

ionr. All leading grocers sell it. THE Grand Opera House cigar is general favorite. Try it.

Driecrive Ballard, is at Springfield to presecute Says Marshall for buying goods stolen from the Wabash cars. W. A. Comes' Restaurant.

THE mfant child of Henry Foster, aged 6 days, was buried this forenoon at o'clock. The funeral took place from the residence on West Decatur street.

THERE inmates of a gambling room at 124 Merchant street, were captured last night by Officer Miller and special police-

W. A. Comes' Restaurant Superior family groceries at Elme

Eulver's store. Telephone 8.

CIRCUIT court will begin Monday with Judge Vail on the bench; 65 cases on the common law docket; 50 chancery cases and 153 crimmal cases.

THE state convention of The King's Daughters, a young ladies cociety of the Episcopai church, will be held in Bloomngton late in April or early in May next. PRESCOTT's, for the largest and best assortment of Guitars, Banjos, Violins, Mandolius, Music Boxes, Polios, Rolls,

Piano Covers and Scarls. W. H. BRAMBLE has secured a patent for a dandy padlock he has lately in-

DECATUR Nut Coal, delivered to any part of the city, at \$1,50 per ton. n7-dtf LOVELY photographs are always proluced at Den Chamberlain's gallery.

W. A. Coans' Restaurant. This evening progressive enchre will ie the diversion for "Ladies' Night" at the Decatur Club rooms. Game will be

gen promptly at 8 30. No delay. DECATER (louble-screened nut, at \$1.50

The thirteenth annual meeting of the Ulmois State Bar Association is to be held at Springfield January 14 and 15. On the first evening a reception is to be tendered the association by Governor and Mrs. Fifer.

CALL for the Grand Opera House A TIME banquet was served at Forsyth last night at the conclusion of the organ-

ization of Starlight Lodge, Knights of Pythias, by District Deputy Grist.

Board of Trade. There will be a directors' meeting at my office this Thursday evening, at eight o'clock. Several propositions from factories to submit requiring immediate action. Want a full board.

J. M. Cloker, Sec'y.

"The Boy Tramp." The many Decatur admirers of Malame and Augustine Neuville will be glad to learn that they will appear at the Grand Monday night in "The Boy Tramp." The Wheeling Register said "The Boy Tramp" drew a crowded house last night, and it was an appreinduse last hight, and it was a strong one, and the company splendid. As Mildred Earlston, Madame Neuville was superb, and Augustin Neuville took the character of Jack Sharpe, the boy tramp, in a way that was delightful to witness He made a big hit, and led the audience with him all the way through the play The scenery is very fine, especially the

SECRET SOCIETY MEETINGS

Regular meeting of Decatur Chapter No. 14 his (Thursday) evening, at 7:30 e clock. MRS. SALLIE J. STEELE, W. M.

WOOD PUMPS, Chain Pumps, Force Pumps, for sale at Epencer & Leh-

They Are First Told by Sensational Morning Papers.

This morning the Despatch and Re-

www came out with highly colored and

M. G. Patterson, the architect, who dis-

appeared from Bloomington on Dec. 24.

The only foundation for the unsavory

stories are rumors only—rumors that

were known to the REPUBLICAN on Dec.

30th—the day on which the first news of

Mr. Patterson's absence was given; but

at that time and on no day since has the

the absence of proof, although the two

Mr. Patterson, against whose moral char-

acter there has never been brought any

assault him, so far as known. The Re-

eublican contained not a syllable that

reflected on Mr. Patterson, or would

cause a particle of pain to his wife, for

whom this paper has always had the

But, the two morning papers do not

appear to have any compunctions of con-

science in reference to the case, and both

with apparent eagerness give place to

the cruel stories which by their own

showing are baseless and without founda-

In last evening's issue we stated that

ton, where he had been investigating the

gation satisfied Mr. Hovey that M. G.

was in the article. The Review says our

article was "true only in the statement

that Mr. C. L. Hovey had returned from

investigation while there." The Review

interviews Mr. Hovey, who makes the

statement "That he was not satisfied of

anything except that the missing man

was not in Bloomington, and he had

not been foully dealt with in that city,

and that he had not been drinking to

investigation has established the above

as facts, surely there is every reason to

believe that Mr. Patterson is alive, and if

been foully dealt with in that city, it is

of little consequence whether he "left

Bloomington for the north," or went in

In Place Again.

E. J. Martin is again manager of the

terday at the annual meeting of the

stockholders of the company. He suc-

ceeds Mr. Ayres, who has been in charge

The Truant Officer.

The truant officer for Pecutur, appoint-

at by the Board of Education to enforce

the compulsory education law, is not

Supervisor Hiram Johnson. He is Rich-

An "International Silver Dollar"

the established money of the world as it

seems. Four shillings of English money,

four marks of German money, 214

gilders of Holland, are all about equal to

would five francs of French money or

to the same amount. It would not be a

last night at the meeting held in the hall

of the Railway Locomotive Engineers in

Room 32, East Eldorado street: Presi-

Locke; recording and corresponding see

retary, S. D. McLain; financial secretary,

Shively; doorkeeper and conductor, Thos.

THE organization or a building and

loan association was perfected at Lov-

ington Monday night with a capital stock of \$20,000, in \$100 shares, payable

in four and eight years. The following

officers were elected: President, Byron

Cheever; vice president, J. C. Riggin;

secretary and treasurer, O. T. Smith;

G. T. Smith, A. R. Pefer, J. H. Williams.

ment will be made very shortly, as it is

important that the office be filled with-

out delay. Col. John D. Adair and ex-

Senutor Condee are among those most

Mr. EMIL STURM, lately a clothing

merchant at Clinton, has arrived in De-

catur and will reside here permanently,

He will have an interest in the B. Stine

clothing house, and will permanently

join with Mr. Stine in carrying on the

business. We welcome Mr. Sturm and

his family to Decatur. Mrs. Sturm is a

The funeral [of the late Col. N. A.

White is in progress at the Presbyterian

church this afternoon. Rev. W. H. Pen-

hallegon in charge, assisted by Rev. W.

H. Prestley. The pall-bearers are W. T.

Wells, J. W. Race, J. G. Cloyd, L. Wes-

CARROL JOHNSON appeared in "Fairies'

Well" Irish comedy last night at the

Grand, and danced himself into favor.

The play is very pretty, the dialogue

clean, and the special scenery beautiful.

daughter of M. Heilbrun.

generally spoken of for the place.

A. H. Sutherland and A. J. Pollard.

ond compromise.

Bashford.

the Short Line in first class shape.

some other direction.

greatest consideration.

story discreditable to him.

success, and he will be in Decatur two weeks or longer. A description of his purely sensational stories in reference to work in various parts of the country will appear in these columns to-morrow. It in this community, and Richard H. John-

was received too late for this issue. The Paymaster To-Night.

The noted "Paymaster" military spectacular play, with plenty of real water and wit, will be produced with a carload of special scenery to night at the Grand The tank represents the swiftly flowing REPUBLICAN given publicity to any of Inslavoge river in Ireland and is forty those yarns, and will not do so now in feet wide and nine feet deep. One of the most thrilling situations in the piece ocmorning papers in question cruelly did curs in the fourth act, where the heroine so to-day, thus casting a reflection on who has become possessed of knowledge which is dangerous to the villian of the play, is thrown by him into the chill and turbulent waves of the swift-running All that the REPUBLICAN stated in its river, and there left to perish. It is then sene of last evening was that a Decatur that the hero, who, by the way, is the man had been in Bioomington, that he aymaster, from whom the play takes its had returned home, and that he had sattitle, plunges from a height of fourteen isfied himself after thorough investigaor more feet into the water, dives long tion that Mr. Patterson had not been and persistently in search of the drownmurdered in Bloomington and that he is ing maiden, and at length appears with alive, as no one outside of Bloomington, his wet burden clinging about his neck. or even in that city, had a motive to

A CROWING SHOW.

High Bred Chickens Make Music for the Visitors.

This is the second day of the Poultry Club exhibition at Guards' Armory, and there are beautiful birds of all sizes, colors and quality there for the public to look at and admire. Judge Pierce arrived this atternoon from Chicago to begin the marking, and some scores will be ready by to-morrow. Visit the show. The entries closed last night at 9 o'clock. Ad-

ditional entries: Mr. Hovey had returned from Blooming-Patterson mystery, and that this investi-Bartholomes & McCrory, Dec Dinf F. Young, Decatur J. W. Wilson, Olney Henry Mrist, Decatur Harry Miller, George L. Howell, Olney John Stabler, Decatur Mis. W. P. Davidson, Macon George Diriston, Decatur Steve Hubert, Decatur Bert Bobb, Decatur Charles Bartlett, Decatur Patterson had not been foully dealt with in that city, and from this we drew the conclusion that Mr. Patterson was alive. Could anyone conclude unything else? This and the further statement that he left Bloomington for the north is all there

PERSONAL MENTION. Mrs. Henry May is ill.

Helm Whitehurst is at Springfield to

Capt. Wm. Grason, of Oakley, is in the S. E. Clarno, of Weedman, is about to

remove to Decutur. M. E. Schroeder was at Bement yes terday on businesa.

any extent while there." If Mr. Hovey's the Union depot, is sick. Richard Newell, train dispatcher a Chaton, was here to-day. he is not in Bloomington and had not

derson, January 8, a son. Miss Belle Ewing is entertaining Miss Jessio Gillett, of Elkhart.

Miss Jennie Montgomery and sister hav been visiting Miss Muggie Holder-Decatur Electrio street railway, his selecmun at Bement. tion having been made in Chicago yes-

paid us a call to-day. Fred Baldwin arrived this morning but a short time. Manager Martin, is is from the cust, called home by the alarmstated, will brook no delay in putting liness of his mother.

stated, will brook no delay in putting Staunton Fields, who has been confined to his room for a week on account of sickness, is now getting better.

Mr. and Mis. C. W. Montgomery have

gentleman, who resides on East Prairie Oliver T. Atcheson, of Lovington, Springfield, doing duty as a petit juro is | in the United States district court. The condition of Mrs. M. B. Hall, who what one of the eastern financiers advowas stricken with paralysis some months cates. It is not such a departure from

ago, is unchanged. Her state excited Rev. S. M. Morton, for 15 years pastor of the Presbyterian church at Jacksonville, has accepted a call to locate at

Col. E. P. Niles and daughters, Marian and Eunice, of Champaign, are in the city, being called here by the death of five hra of Italian money be about equal Col. N. A. White.

Mrs. Viola Smith, of St. Louis, and Misses Jennie Stahl and Mame Charles The following officers of local Stationof Litchfield, are in the city visiting Mrs ary Engineers' organization, were elected F. W. Swearingen.

dent, L. Wheeler; vice-president, J. C. of her brother to-day. Charles F. Wilcox, Wabash electrician L. Barnard; treasurer and trustee, E.

John Irwin, of the White Front cloth-ing house, who has been confined to his home for six weeks with articular rheu-

night, January 13th. Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Thatcher departed or the east this morning, where they will

Webster H. Rapp arrived home this morning from New York City, where he has been visiting his sister for the past two months. While in the east he caught on to a genuine case of la grippe and we laid up a week. His nose is badly

Hon. Hugh Crea who has been in Europe since July on business connected with the Frank Beall corrugated roll for mills, arrived home safely last night. Mr. Crea visited all the principal countries of Europe and secured patents for the introduction of the roll in all mills. He is in good health.

a salesman at the old-established dry goods house of F. L. Hays & Co., has resigned his position and will take a rest. Star is a veteran salesman, known for his with city and country people and for his uniform politeness and affability.

ette, Ind., in response to a telegram from Norman Pringle, etating that his daugher, Mrs. A. C. Felconer, wife of Bruce alconer, was in a dying condition. termann, C. H. Brown and C. A. Ewing. has been ill for several weeks with typhoid fever and was very bad last evening. There are five children in the family. Mrs. Alice Stephens, a sister of family. Mrs. Alice Stephens, a sister of Mrs. F., has been with her since Monday.

Opossum. The Cheerful Givers' Club will give a grand old-fashioned possum supper, corner East Main and State streets, on Wednesday 3g, Jan. 15, for the bensuits for the great mason and ball at le

Republicum.

taken steps to have the state compulso law, which took effect last July, enforced son is the truant officer. Copies of the law will be circulated liberally so that the public may be informed as to the requirements and penalties. The law is as

follows:

SECTION 1. That every person having upder his control a child between the ages of seven had control a child between the ages of seven had fourteen years, shall annually cause such rhild to attend for at least sixteen weeks, at least eight weeks of which attendance shall be consecutive, some public day school in the city, tawn or district in which he resides, which time shall commence with the beginning of the first term of the school year, or as soon thereafter as due notice shall be served upon the person having such control, of his duty under this act. For every needect of such duty under this act. For every needect of such duty under this act. For every needect of such duty under this act. For every needect of such duty under this act. For every needect of such duty under this act. Schools of such city or district, sum not less than one nor more than twenty dollars, and shall stand committed until such fine and costs of suit are paid.

SEC. 2. It shall be the duty of the Board of Education in every city to appoint one or nore transt officers, whose duties it shall be, carefully to enquire concerning all supposed violations of this act, and to enter complaint against all persons who shall appear to be guilty of such violation, it shall also be the duty of said officer to intest children of school-going age, who habitually haunt public places and have no lawful occumation, and also truant children who abent themselves from school which said children are by law entitled to attend.

SEC. 3. Any person having control of a child, who, with intent to evade the provisions of this act, shall make a willful false statement correnting such child, or the time such child has attended school, shall, for such offense, forfeit sum of not less than (\$3) nor more than (\$3) of the use of the public schools of such chy or district.

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afternoon and night. Got It From Mussissip. One would think that a Decatur citizen would get about all of the McGinty business he could stand right at home; but all people are not born lucky. The other day the reporter put a brief squib in the REPUBLICAN BS to the authorship of the famous song, and yesterday, lo, and behold! the reporter got a letter from faraway Canton, Miss., containing a clipping rom a paper stating the author is Joe Flynn, an actor, and not a reporter for a Boston paper, This settles it. Joe Flynn is the anthor of the most popular "gag" of the day and he lived at Rochester, N Y, where he wrote it within 30 minue It where he wrose it within so ninues. He write it in April and sang it for the first time May 6 at Providence, R. I. It has been a go. The correspondent who has settled this great question is Earle has settled this great question is Earle Renaugton, the dashing soubrette of the Pete Baker "Emigrant" company, who was shown the McCinity note in the Republican of January 2 at Canton. She got the paper from Ben. F. Dodson, who is a regular subscriber and resides at Canton.

Tom will appear at the Grand Saturday

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MARRIED. By P. B. Provost, J. P., at his office in Decatur on Wednesday, January 8, W. J. Pettus and Miss Henrietta Devoie, of Niantic. By Rev. T. W. Plukerton, at the St. Nicholas noted in this city, on Wednesday, January S. John H. Clendenen, of Ilhopolis, and Miss Mary seroggins, of Mt. Pulaski. At the Christian church, January 8, at eight yclock, by Rev. T. W. Pinkerton, Elbert A. Jumphrey and Miss Cora A. White, both of De-

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tates the handling (as we do) of the very beet and most desirable goods manufac-tured. We still have \$25,000 worth of goods that must be closed out at once re- am gardless of our competitors. Sorry for them, of course, but we can't always be

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Frank Oakes Rose, of "The Paymaster" company, formerly of the Buffalo Courver,

J. W. Kirkbride, of the Citizens' Electric Radway company, is sick at his home, 612 East Wilham street.

and H. Johnson, an equally competent returned from Himckley, Ohio, they have been visiting relatives.

ninety-six cents of American money. So Mattoon.

Mrs. Mary C. Mosely, sister of the late Col. N. A. White, arrived last evening from Omaha, Neb., to attend the funeral

accompanied by his family, is at Toledo, Ohio, to attend the funeral of a brother of Mrs. W. who died of pneumonia in

matism, is again able to be at his place F. Wellington, business manager the "Boy Tramp" company, arrived in the city last night. The play is to be produced at the Grand next Monday

directors, Byron Cheever, J. C. Riggin, celebrate the 25th anniversary of their narriage at Mrs. T.'s home in Schuylkil THE vacancy in the Cook county probate judgeship, occasioned by the death of Judge Knickerbocker, will be filled by appointment of Gov. Fifer. The appoint-

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of age 211 men and 278 women. returned as 150 years of age. There was one woman 138 years old; 135 years, l man, 2 women; 132 years, 1 man; 130 women; 120 years, 8 men, 20 women; 110 years, 2 women; 118 There may be good luck in some rabbits feet, but the particular one which years, 2 men, 5 women; 117 years 1 woman: 116 years, 3 men. 2 women

115 years, 13 men, 12 women; 114 years 1 man, 4 women; 113 years, 3 men, 5 vomen: 112 years, 6 men, 8 women: 111 years, 6 men, 5 women; 110 years, 3 women, 108 years, 6 men, 13 women 107 years, 5 men, 3 women; 106 years 10 men, 8 women, 105 years, 32 men, 37 vomen; 104 years, 12 mcn, 15 women 03 years, 15 men, 25 women; 102 years 19 men, 22 women; 101 years, 19 men

that the women of Chili are not avers in the United States acknowledged that she had passed her 138th birthday, is would be a fair inference to set her true age down at not less than 250 summers
—San Francisco Alta.

Jewels in the Temples.

The Buddhists in Burmah do not con ader the question of expense in beautiir temples. Here is the descrip ion of the new vane of a pagoda at Rar goon: The vane is about 3 by 14 feet broad and thickly crusted with precious stones and lovely fans of the red Burired rubies alone on this beautiful thing vorks the vane is a richly carved and perforated gold ornament called the semboo. It is somewhat egg shaped mous diamond encircled by many smalle nes, crusted on like barnacles Allove this exquisite oval object are similar dumps of diamonds, no other stones being used for this part -Exchange.

Walking sticks are to a great extent mported into England from abroad. The number received from other countries reaches nearly 5,000,000 annually, with combined value of £25,000 or so. Commoner stacks as those of beech, ash, shire, for instance, many acres are de ng of wood for the walleng stick market. I peculiar branch of this business is the importation of overgrown cabbage stalks from the Channel Islands, where cabbages are regularly trained with a view to being transformed into walking sticks by a process of stripping off each leaf as it appears, and finally drying and harden-ing the stems.—London Tit Bits.

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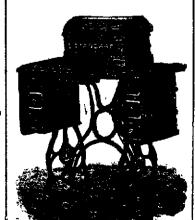
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of misfortune, and its possessor is a hollow eyed picture of despair, whose every movement has been productive of calam-Two weeks ago the owner of the chain was in the best of spirits and on good

terms with hunself and the world, and respering. For a week the nightmare of ill luck has clung to him with the grasp of the old man of the sea, and cannot be shaken off. AN UNHREDED WARNING.

He came into the possession of the furry article which wrecked his happiness in a somewhat peculiar manner. was presented to him as an emblem of luck by one of his friends, and he care fully tucked it away in his vest pocket A third friend who was standing by re marked at the time: "If I were you would throw that cursed thing as far a I could. It's certain to bring ill luck. am usually not superstitious, but wouldn't carry one for a thousand do

The pessimist was heartily laughed a for his foolishness, and ridiculed as a prophet of bad luck. "Wait and see, was his laconic response to the other to and his advice taken, this story would never have been written.

It was Saturday evening when the gift was received, but nothing eventful hap-pened that day. When the possessor of the talisman went to bed he began to think of the words of warning he had lis tened to and it began to trouble him. He could not sleep for a time, and when he finally fell into a fitful doze it was only

to see big and little rabbits' feet obstructing him and barring his progress in whatever direction he turned. They seemed to overwhelm him and crush him down, and when he awoke with start it was to hear his wife calling him to breakfast. He arose, haggard and worn out. Sleep had been a burder rather than a rest, and in consequenc

he was snappish and out of humor. The breakfast was a succession He grumbled at everything until finally his wife, who was unaccus tomed to see him angry, anxiously in quired what was the matter. He gave er a curt reply, that sent the tears t her eyes and her lips to quivering, and left for his office without his usual fare well kiss, something he had never don efore since his marriage.

It was Sunday, and, of course, none of us clerks were at work. He could not find any of the correspondence he de Finally he thought again of the rabbit foot. "It must be that," he soliloquized but I'll keep it just for spite and se bow far it will work its spell.'

Coming down the stairs from his office he slipped and fell, and badly sprained

When he reached home his wife was sick, and so the doctor had two patients instead of one. Sunday night was but a repetition of the previous one, filled with ad dreams, and when the mornin dawned the possessor of the emblem was thoroughly fatagued in soul and body. He determined to get rid of the rabbit's foot and when he reached the street threw it on the sidewalk. In a moment he felt like a new man, and his former buoyancy of spirits returned. But, alas, fate had more misfortunes in store for him, and he has not proceeded half a square before a colored urchin touched him on the arm and holding the fatai rabbit's feet toward him, said, "I seen you drop it, sir, and I

thought you might want it.' There it was, confronting him like a nemesis. It would have been easy to have told the boy to keep it, but he did not do this, and moodily walked down to his office. The day was a succession of unlucky events. He did not receive a considerable sum of money he confidently expected, an important case in which he had a large contingent fee was decided against him, and his clerk was taken ili, so that it became necessary for his employer to do his own work, which he managed to get through at a late hour with

the assistance of a stenographer and Îlis wife was considerably worse when he returned home and he was compelled to remain up all night with her. The rest of the week was a repetition of the two days he had passed. When Saturday came he was careworn, fretful and anxious about his wife's health, for she was dangerously all, and there were grave fears as to her recovery. His business had gone wrong and every thing he did seemed to turn out exactly opposite

to what he desired. Then he determined to get rid of that infernal rabbit's foot. Its influence had undoubtedly contributed a great deal to his moroseness, and he was well nigh ill into the stove he threw the foot and watched it burn with considerable pleas

ure. He was rid of it at last, Strange to relate, his wife began to improve He felt on better terms with himself, and his life returned to its nor mal channels. It may be that a rabbit's foot is not unlucky, but there is one man in Washington who will never carry one again for good luck.—Washington Post

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